

a man who could laugh like that could have risen above hemiplegia and, after it had tried to strike him down, have done the best and most enduring work of his career.

The stimulus of his energy and his personality; the honesty of his research work and his reporting of it; the sincerity of his devotion to neurology and his teaching; the charm of his culture and his friendship blended to form the Fred Tilney his friends loved. All these we shall miss over the years that are to come.

LOUIS CASAMAJOR

DEATHS OF FELLOWS

BEER, EDWIN: 45 East 85 Street, New York City; born in New York City, March 28, 1876; died in New York City, August 13, 1938; received the degree of Bachelor of Arts from Columbia University in 1896 and graduated in medicine from the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University in 1899; elected a Fellow of the Academy December 7, 1905.

Dr. Beer was elected a Vice-President of the Academy December 1928 and served until December 1931.

Dr. Beer, who was a former Chairman of the Medical Board of the Mount Sinai Hospital, was attending surgeon to this institution. He was consulting surgeon to the Bellevue Hospital.

In 1927 Dr. Beer received the first gold medal of the International Society of Urology at Brussels. The honor was for his "original work on the application of high frequency current for the curing of intravesicular diseases." He held certificates from the American Board of Urology and the American Board of Surgery.

Dr. Beer was a member of the American Urological Association, the American Surgical Association, the New York Pathological Society, the New York Surgical Society and one of its former presidents, the Clinical Society of Genito-Urinary Surgeons and

the County and State Medical Societies. He was a Fellow of the American College of Surgeons and the American Medical Association.

FRASER, ALEXANDER: 153 West 11 Street, New York City; born in Nova Scotia, 1869; died in Beechurst, Long Island, New York September 18, 1938; graduated in medicine from Dalhousie University Medical College, Halifax, Nova Scotia, in 1897; elected a Fellow of the Academy April 1, 1920.

Dr. Fraser who was a former professor of pathology at New York University and Bellevue Medical College, was pathologist to the St. Vincent's Hospital and consulting pathologist to the New York Foundling, People's, Polyclinic and Mammouth Memorial Hospitals. He was a Fellow of the American Medical Association and a member of the Harvey Society, the New York Pathological Society and the County and State Medical Societies.

SENIOR, HAROLD DICKINSON: Salsbury Cove, Maine; born in Croydon, England, October 30, 1870; died in New York City, August 6, 1938; graduated in medicine from the Royal College of Physicians and Surgeons in 1892; received the degree of Bachelor of Medicine from Durham University in 1895 and Doctor of Science from Syracuse University in 1910; elected a Fellow of the Academy April 20, 1911.

Dr. Senior was house surgeon and physician to the Charing Cross Hospital, London, 1892-93; assistant demonstrator of anatomy at the Charing Cross Hospital Medical School, 1894-95; demonstrator of anatomy at the Medico-Chirurgical College in Philadelphia, 1902-04; associate in anatomy at the Wistar Institute of Anatomy and Biology, 1904-07; professor of anatomy at Syracuse University 1907-10; and professor of anatomy at New York University, 1910-36 when he was designated professor emeritus of that institution.

Dr. Senior received from Durham University in 1918 the award of an honorary degree and designation as the institution's gold medalist for the year. For many years Dr. Senior was an associate editor of the American Journal of Anatomy.

He was a Fellow of the American Association for the Advancement of Science and a member of the Anatomical Society of Great Britain and Ireland.

SCHWEINITZ, GEORGE EDMUND de: 1705 Walnut Street, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, born in Philadelphia, October 26, 1858; died August 22, 1938; graduated in medicine from the University of Pennsylvania in 1881; elected an Honorary Fellow of the Academy, November 18, 1926.

Dr. de Schweinitz was professor of ophthalmology at Philadelphia Polyclinic 1891 to 1894, and at Jefferson Medical College 1892 to 1902. He taught at the medical school, Pennsylvania University, from 1902 to 1924, and at the Graduate School of Medicine from 1924 to 1928. He was a vice-president of the Pennsylvania Institute for Instruction of the Blind, a trustee of the University of Pennsylvania, a Fellow of the American Medical Association and its President, 1922-1923, a Fellow of the American College of Surgeons, a member of the American Ophthalmological Society and its President in 1916, a member of the American Academy of Ophthalmology and Otolaryngology and a member of the Philadelphia Medical, Neurological and Pathological Societies. He also was a member of the American Philosophical Society, the Ophthalmological Society of the United Kingdom, the Société Française d'Ophthalmologie and the Société Belge d'Ophthalmologie.

When the United States entered the World War, Dr. de Schweinitz received a commission in the Army Medical Corps and served in the American Expeditionary Force in France as consultant in ophthalmology, reaching the rank of Colonel prior to the Armistice and subsequently, Brigadier General in the Reserve Corps. He was member of the Editorial Board of the Medical and Surgical History of the World War. Dr. de Schweinitz wrote many books and articles on ophthalmological and neurological subjects.

The degree of Doctor of Science was awarded him by the University of Michigan in 1922 and Harvard University in 1927. He held a certificate from the American Board of Ophthalmology.

Dr. de Schweinitz was the recipient of the Howe prize medal in ophthalmology in 1927, the Hugenot Cross in 1928, and the Leslie Dana medal for work in the prevention of blindness in 1930.

TILNEY, FREDERICK: 920 Fifth Avenue, New York City; born in Brooklyn, New York, June 4, 1876; died in New York City, August 7, 1938; received the degree of Bachelor of Arts from Yale University, New Haven, Connecticut, in 1897; graduated in medicine from the Long Island College Hospital in 1903; received from Columbia University the degree of Doctor of Philosophy in 1912 and the honorary degree of Doctor of Science in 1929; elected a Fellow of the Academy October 7, 1915.

Dr. Tilney served the Academy as a Vice-President from January 1932 to January 1934, and as a Trustee from January 1936 until his death.

Since 1935 Dr. Tilney has been Medical Director of the Neurological Institute, after having been for several years chairman of the Institute's Committee on Medical Research. He was also professor of neurology and neuro-anatomy at Columbia University, College of Physicians and Surgeons, and consulting neurologist to the Presbyterian, Roosevelt, Brooklyn, Methodist Episcopal, Babies and Greenwich Hospitals.

Dr. Tilney was a Fellow of the American Medical Association and a member of the American Neurological Association, the American Psychiatric Association, the Association for Research in Nervous and Mental Disease, the American Association of Anatomists and the State and County Medical Societies.

TOREK, FRANZ JOHN ALBERT: 108 East 82 Street, New York City; born in Breslau, Germany, April 14, 1861; died in Vienna, September 19, 1938; graduated in medicine from the College of Physicians and Surgeons, Columbia University, in 1887; elected a Fellow of the Academy January 15, 1891.

Dr. Torek was consulting surgeon to the Lenox Hill and Post-Graduate Hospitals. He was a Fellow of the American College of Surgeons and the American Medical Asso-